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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Support Services Staff

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: Archives and Records Center Shelving Project,

Contract

REFERENCE

: Memo dtd 15 Dec 71 to D/L fm C/SSS, same

subject

The current status of subject project is furnished for your information. 25X1A5a1

25X1A5**a**1 The present contractual arrangement wherein became the 100 percent sub-contractor has allowed work to proceed, and progress seems well underway. There is every reason to expect that this trend will continue and the quality of work will improve.

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makes all contractual changes including directions to the contractor and acceptance 25X1A1d of work. Although is not required to advise us of all interface between the contractor and Contracting Officer, we are consulted on changes to specifications and schedule changes through It is through this medium that your desires are made known.

> 4. As of 29 December 1971 the contractor has only made an oral request to the Contracting Officer for an extension of the contract completion from 7 April to 2 June 1972. must be a formal request with appropriate justification to the Contracting Officer before it can be acted upon by the Contracting Officer. To insure that our position is provided the Center is preparing a 25X1A6a letter to the based on the referenced memorandum stating that an extension of the completion date to 2 June 1972 is acceptable to the Using Service. It remains, however, the Contracting Officer's responsibility to insure that any time extension is justified and that the Government's position is not compromised with regard to the contractor's performance and possible future claims. Unless there are some

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unforeseen developments, it appears that will grant the time extension to the contractor. In the meantime there has been no delay of work.

5. The on-site meetings have been most productive in resolving the many problems that have arisen on this project and have been a useful vehicle in making your desires known and the contractor. We will continue to maintain close supervision of the contractor and insure that he completes all work to the best acceptable standards in the established time frame. You will be kept informed of major events, and no major changes will be made without your prior knowledge or concurrence.

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Chief

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